

## DOCUMENTATION TIPS

# MIPS #130: Documentation of Current Medications in the Medical Record

Electronic health records (EHRs) collect and organize notes, medication lists, and patient information using various formats. With providers also documenting this information in unique ways, this can potentially cause confusion and an increased timeline for measure mapping with DataDerm. This tip sheet can help you manage reporting requirements for performance measures and streamline standard documentation practices to allow seamless data pull into DataDerm.

The DataDerm team will work with you to connect DataDerm with your EHR to extract data. To make that as smooth as possible, it helps to document key elements of patient care. DataDerm cannot read scanned images of any kind, including scanned images for labs, letters to physicians, pathology reports, follow-up plans, and dates. If you have scanned images with information needed for your measures, please add a note in your chart with the date and required patient information for this data to be accurately collected.

This tip sheet can assist paper-based practices in standardizing documentation practices. Keeping notes in the patient's paper chart of all documentation requirements will assist you when reporting for this measure.

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For all patients 18 and older, document clear language that states:

- The CPT or HCPCS code for the patient encounter during the reporting period
  - 59400, 59510, 59610, 59618, 90791, 90792, 90832, 90834, 90837, 90839, 92002, 92004, 92012, 92014, 92507, 92508, 92526, 92537, 92538, 92540, 92541, 92542, 92544, 92545, 92547, 92548, 92550, 92557, 92567, 92568, 92570, 92585, 92588, 92626, 96116, 96121, 96130, 96131, 96132, 96133, 96136, 96137, 96138, 96139, 96146, 96150, 96151, 96152, 97127, 97161, 97162, 97163, 97164, 97165, 97166, 97167, 97168, , 97802, 97803, 97804, 98960, 98961, 98962, 99201, 99202, 99203, 99204, 99205, 99212, 99213, 99214, 99215, 99221, 99222, 99223, 99236, 99304, 99305, 99306, 99307, 99308, 99309, 99310, 99315, 99316, 99318, 99324, 99325, 99326, 99327, 99328, 99334, 99335, 99336, 99337, 99339, 99340, 99341, 99342, 99343, 99344, 99345, 99347, 99348, 99349, 99350, 99495, 99496, 99281, 99282, 99283, 99284, 99285, 99385, 99386, 99387, 99395, 99396, 99397, G0101, G0108, G0270, G0402, G0438, G0439, G0515
- Current medication correctly documented in the medical record
  - Include a check box or note that the patient's medications have been reviewed and updated, obtained, or documented.
    - List **ALL** known prescriptions, over-the-counters, herbals, and vitamin/mineral/dietary (nutritional) supplements
    - Medication name, dosage, frequency and route of administration must be included on the medication list
    - Date the medication list was obtained, updated, or reviewed
- If medication list is not obtained, updated, or reviewed, include if applicable:
  - Patient is in an urgent or emergent medical situation where time is of the essence and to delay treatment would jeopardize the patient's health status

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#### Additional Tips:

- Collect **for each denominator eligible visit** during the performance period.
- See measure specifications for additional codes that can assist in seamless measure mapping from your EHR to DataDerm, if applicable (e.g. G8427).